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APPLICANT(S):

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Examiner: Picardat, Kevin M.

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METHOD FOR FABRICATING SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES

Mail Stop Amendment **Commissioner for Patents** P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- [X] No additional fee is required.

For	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate (Small Entity)	Addit. Fee	Rate	Addit. Fee
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INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	4	0	x 100	\$0	x 200 =	\$0
[] First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim				180		360	\$0

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RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 23, 2005, please reconsider the aboveidentified application in light of the following remarks.

The Listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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